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MAUÁ BANK

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101—103.

INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH.

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.
For balances in our favour, ... 12 per cent.
For balances in favour of Customers, ... 7 ,,

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY.
For balances in our favour, ... 12 per cent.
For balances in favour of Customers ... 7 ,,

Deposits for a fixed term in specie or currency, at conventional interest.

P. P. MAUA & Co.,
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MAUA BANK,

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos 101—103

The Offices of this Bank having been removed to the above spacious building, in order to suit the increasing flow of business, the public is informed that the following transactions are carried on in currency and specie in this Bank:—

First—Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on conventional terms.

Second—Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.

Third—Accounts current are opened with Merchants or other parties who may prefer depositing endorsed and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously convened under conditions established for such class of operations.

Fourth—Money is received in account current, bearing interest from day of deposit, which is accumulated in favor of the parties every three months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time, by means of cheques, part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred doubloons or one hundred thousand dollars currency, in which case forty-eight hours' previous notice is required to be given at the Treasury of the Bank.

Fifth—Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta. Fé, Salto Oriental, Paysandu, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Brazils, England and France, as also on other places, of which notice will be given hereafter.

Finally, the Bank undertakes and executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.

The establishment is always open from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m.

P. P. MAUA & Co.
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MONEY ORDERS.

Drafts on IRELAND are granted by the undersigned, payable on demand at any of the Fifty-two branches of the

NATIONAL BANK.

Drafts are also granted on
Messrs. PRESCOTT, GROTE, and Co., Bankers, LONDON;
and on J. BARNES and Co., Banker, LIVERPOOL.

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THOMAS B. HALL.

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ON THE
UNION BANK OF IRELAND
ISSUED BY THE
London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank.
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Carlow	Kilkenny	Newcastle
Carrickmacross	Killarney	County Limerick
Carrick-on-suir	Kilrush	New Ross
Cashel	Kingstown	Rathkeale
Castlerea	Limerick	Roscommon
Charleville	Lismore	Rosrea
Clonakilty	Listowel	Thurles
Clonmel	Longford	Tipperary
Cork	Loughrea	Tralee
Dublin	Macroom	Tuam
Dungarvan	Mallow	Waterford
Ennis	Middleton	Wexford
		Wicklow

Briton &Medical General (Incorporated with the Unity General) Life Assurance Association

Chief Offices—WEST STRAND, LONDON, W.C.

Capital—3,000,000*l. Sterling.*

Propositions for Life Assurances are received, and immediate attention paid to the same. A Prospectus of rates and other particulars will be furnished on application to the Company's Agent in this City.

GEORGE WILKS,
7 Calle Mayo.

The Argentine Marine Insurance Company

Established in this City, insure at moderate premiums all risks by sea or on the river.

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Sor. Don Tomas Armstrong, President.
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,, Enrique Tomkinson.
,, Mariano Casares.
,, Francisco F. Morero, Gerente.

Gualeguaychu Steam Navigation Co.

PORTS OF THE URUGUAY.

S.S. "ERA,".

By special request of the commercial community of this city and the towns on the coast of the River Uruguay, and with the view of facilitating the exchange of correspondence between Buenos Ayres and the above-mentioned ports, the "ERA" will be despatched from Buenos Ayres every Monday at One o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, on and after Monday, the 1st of August, proximo.

The "Era" will arrive in Buenos Ayres, on her return from the Uruguay, every Saturday morning. j 24 1 m

Notice to Shippers for the Uruguay Ports.

The National S.S. "ERA" will leave Buenos Ayres for the Uruguay every Monday at One o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, on and after the 1st of August proximo.

Cargo must be put on board the lighters every Saturday.

Parcels will be received at the Agency, 1 Calle Cuyo, up to Nine o'Clock, and Specie up to Eleven o'Clock in the morning of the day of sailing. j 24 1 m

Iron Houses.

One or Two-roomed Iron Houses—each room is 14 feet square—cheap, portable, and easily put up.

238 *CALLE CERRITO.* j27 15

London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank.
(Limited.)

80—CALLE DE LA PIEDAD—80.

Capital—1,000,000*l Sterling,*

The rates of Interest from 1st July, 1864, until further notice, will be as follows, both for Specie and Currency:—

In Account Current.

Allowed ... ... 6 per cent.
Charged ... ... 12 ,,

Fixed Deposits.

For ninety days ... 7 per cent.

On Deposits subject to thirty days' notice of withdrawal, interest will be allowed at the rate of one per cent. per annum more than the rate for ninety days fixed deposits, rising and falling therewith, the Bank notifying any change in the rate by advertisement in the usual papers.

From the 1st July, 1864, till further announcement, the rate for this class of deposits will be 8 per cent. per annum.

J. H GREEN. Manager

Royal Insurance Company.

FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

This important company, in many respects the greatest of its kind in the present age, has appointed an agency in this city. The head-offices are in London and Liverpool with branches in Dublin, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Manchester, Bristol, Birmingham, Sheffield, Leeds, Newcastle, Southampton, Montreal, Toronto and other cities.

The ROYAL is remarkable; for the promptitude and liberality of its settlements: for the largest life bonuses (£2 per cent per annum) ever continuously declared during 15 years by any Co.; for the enormous extent of its transactions, shewing £700,000 in new life assurances for 1862, and a Fire revenue of £360,000 per annum; for its security, which has given rise to the proverb "as safe as the Royal;" for the accumulated funds in hand, over one million sterling; for its annual income, over half-a-million sterling; and for the correct calculation of its mortality tables. Hence the English press of all countries, including over 95 leading papers, speaks in the highest terms of this company.

The report for 1863 shews that "all the property of the Co. amounting to £816,070 is real and substantial property:" the amount now exceeds one million sterling. The increase, during 14 years, on Fire business was 900 per cent, and on Life 1350 per cent.

MESSRS. H. A. GREEN AND Co. are authorised to issue policies for Fire and Life to a very large amount, at moderate premiums, the Co. being anxious to extend its foreign business, which already shews an annual revenue of £200,000. Life claims can be settled without reference to England. For further particulars please apply to

HENRY A. GREEN AND Co., Ship-brokers,
85 CALLE RECONQUISTA.

NOTE—Prospectuses and illuminated almanacs may be had on application at the Office. X. J

Steam-boat Agency

And General Commissions,
WILLIAM MATTI & CO.,
50—Cangallo—50.

FOR MONTEVIDEO,
The National Steamer
CORRIENTES
Will leave every Monday and Friday, and returns every Sunday and Wednesday.

FOR ROSARIO,
Calling at Zarate, Baradero, San Pedro, Obligado, Las Hermanas, and San Nicolas—voyage by the Paraña de las Palmas taking Cargo and Passengers—the Nat. Steamer
PAVON,
Captain Price,
Leaves every Thursday and Sunday at Twelve o'Clock Noon, and returns every Wednesday and Saturday.

FOR GUALEGUAY,
The National Steamer
DOLORCITAS,
Leaves the "Boca de las Nueve Vueltas" every Friday after the arrival of the Pavon, and returns every Tuesday, by which the Passengers leave here every Thursday and return every Wednesday.

FOR THE PARANA,
Santa Fe, and intermediate Ports, the Mail Steamer
ESPIGADO,
Leaves Rosario each Friday, two hours after the arrival of the Pavon, and returns every Tuesday in time to hand over Passengers' luggage to the Pavon, who leaves for Buenos Ayres.

FOR CORRIENTES.
Calling at Paraná, La Paz, Cassilla de la Esquina, Casilla de Goya, Bella Vista, and Empedrado, the British Steamer
ESMERALDA,
Leaves Rosario in combination with the Pavon, on Tuesday, August 16th, and returns on Friday, 26th August.

FARES.

	Pats.		Pats.
Montevideo (cabin).....	8	Santa Fe, do.)	24
Zarate.....	4	Paraná, do)	
San Pedro, do.....	8	La Paz, do.....	32
Obligado, do.....	10	La Esquina, do.....	36
San Nicolas, do	12	Goya, do.....	40
Gualeguay, do.....	16	Bella Vista, do.....	44
Rosario, do.....	16	Empedrado, do.....	48
San Lorenzo, do.....	18	Corrientes, do.....	52
Diamante, do.....	20		

Deck Half Price.

FREIGHTS.

	Dols.		Dols.
Montevideo, per ton ..	4	Paraná	10
Rosario	6	La Paz	
San Nicolas.....	6	Bella Vista	
Corrientes	12	La Esquina	
The Uruguay Ports.....	10	Goya	

FOR CUYABA,
Calling at San Nicolas, Rosario, Paraná, Corrientes, Asuncion, and other Brazilian ports, the Brazilian Steamer
MARQUES DE OLINDA,
Captain Hipolito de S. B Gimenez, leaves on 18th Sept.

FARES.

	Pats.		Pats.
San Nicolas.....	16	Corrientes.....	60
Rosario	20	Asuncion.....	80
Paraná.....	28	Cuyaba.....	132

No passengers allowed on any of the steamers without tickets.

La Zingara and Istria.

All Parties indebted for passage money to the above-mentioned ships are requested to call at my Office and pay their passage, within two months from this, otherwise a special order will be given by Government to the different Justices of Peace to remit into Buenos Ayres all defaulters.

G. WILKS.
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American Dentist.

Dr. N. O. CORNWALL
Calle Rivadavia, 27½.
ARTIFICIAL TEETH

Inserted in the neatest and most approved manner, so as to have a beautiful life-like appearance, cause no irritation in the mouth, and serve all the uses of the natural organs.

Tooth-ache promptly relieved and radically cured.

Teeth filled with gold or metallic compounds, so as to last for years or for life. Tartar cleaned off teeth, and roots extracted, and all operations performed with the least possible pain.

Dr. P. Bourse,

SURGEON DENTIST,
Of New York,

Has removed his Office to the New Building, No. 200 CALLE 25 DE MAYO, MONTEVIDEO. The beautiful suit of rooms are fitted up in the most modern style, affording great facilities for Dental operations, combining excellent light with facility for privacy and comfort. He has recently received an addition of the most modern and approved Instruments with monthly information by each European Packet of the latest and most important improvements in Dental Science. Also, by the latest improved gas fixtures, can always afford relief to those suffering from Toothache, at night as well as in the daytime.

Montevideo, May 8, 1864. x

New Work on the Argentine Republic.

In the Press and will shortly be Published, in one volume, crown octavo, with Maps, Illustrations, Appendixes, and Statistical Tables,

BUENOS AYRES, AND ARGENTINE GLEANINGS,

With Extracts from Diary of Salado Exploration, 1862 *and* 1863

By THOMAS J. HUTCHINSON, F.R.G.S., &c. &c., H.B.M. Consul for Rosario;

Author of "Niger-Tshadda-Benue Exploration;" "Impressions of Western Africa;" "Ten Years' Wanderings amongst the Ethiopians," &c. &c.

London: Edward Stanford, 6 Charing Cross, S.W., Ordnance Publisher, Geographical Establishment, and London School Library;

And at the "Standard" Office, Buenos Ayres, where orders for the Work will be received.

This Work is to be illustrated with three Maps, one of them being Dr. Burmeister's Chart of the Argentine Republic, on which the author's journeying is traced by John Coghlan, Esq., C.E. It has besides a number of pictorial illustrations—statistical tables of the commerce of Buenos Ayres and Rosario from A.D. 1851 to A.D. 1863—records of the progress and present condition of education in Buenos Ayres—topographical descriptions of our principal public buildings—synopsis of Land Laws in Buenos Ayres as well as in Santa Fe—tables of outlay and profit in sheep-farming—tables of commerce between Rosario and the interior provinces—sketches of the habits and peculiarities of the Gauchos—illustrations of life in the upper provinces—historical, ethnological, and geographical episodes of the Salado Valley, the Grand Chaco, the provinces of Santa Fe, Santiago del Estero, Tucuman, and Cordova—description of Matadero and Saladero performances—with an account of the progress of Cotton cultivation, colonization, immigration, railways, and river navigation.

British Hotel,

96—PIEDAD—96.

Monthly Board, Five Hundred Dollars.

Breakfasts from Half-past Seven till Twelve o'Clock.

Dinners from Four to Seven.

Teas and Suppers, either warm or cold, from Eight to Twelve at night.

Game and Poultry are always to be found ready within ten minutes when called for.

Dinners supplied to any part of the town at moderate prices. j 22 40 p

Rams—Rams—Rams.

The undersigned, in calling attention to his large and superior stock of Rams and Breeding Sheep, begs to inform his Friends in the Camp that he has on hands a splendid collection of animals, from Three Hundred to Five Thousand Dollars, inspected, and is confident that each in its class will compete with anything in the province.

In the "Rambouillet type" will be found some fine specimens of the pure blood, besides crossings from the "Merino," possessing the size, shape, and length of staple for which this class is so much admired.

In the "Negrettes" he has also some beautiful animals of pure blood, as likewise the "Negrette" drawn from the "fine Merino," a "Cria" remarkable for compact shape and close heavy wool.

In addition to the above he wishes to draw especial attention to his celebrated Argentine breed, between the "Rambouillet" and "Negrette-Ewes," and which, after seven years' experience, he can fully recommend as combining a large amount of length and weight of wool—qualities which are highly valued by all experienced sheep-farmers, at the same time from much satisfaction to those who have already purchased of this class. In buying the above in half-three-quarter, and pure blood, already acclimatized, there is an immense advantage as Rams reared in this country are not so delicate and withstand the winter better than imported animals, besides being sold much cheaper, and only requiring ordinary care.

He can likewise supply the above classes in Ewes, either picked or by the hundred, and wishes to remark that all have been in prime condition throughout the past summer.

PATRICK BOOKEY.

Santa Catalina, July 1, 1864.

N.B.—Santa Catalina is situated five leagues south of Buenos Ayres, seven leagues from Moreno, fifteen from Lujan, and eight from Cangallo; or application can also be made at 65 Piedad, or 268 Bolivar 3 m j 22

Waggons

For moving chattels, receiving commissions of all kind of moving, transhipping chattels.

Apply at the German Carpentery, Calle San Martin, No. 72½; or at Fabric of Carriages, Calle Bolivar, Nos. 152 and 154. 1 m j 27

Gualeguaychu Steam Navigation Company.

Ports of the Uruguay.

'ERA.'

This beautiful new Steamer will leave this for the above Ports every Monday at One o'Clock in the afternoon.

This is a most desirable convenience for Persons going to Gualeguaychu, who are landed there without the inconvenience of being transhipped to other vessels in Fray Bentos.

FARES.

	Cabin. Pats.	Steerage. Pats.
Higueritas	6	3
Fray Bentos	8	4
Gualeguaychu	9	4½
Concepcion	10	5
Paysandu	12	6
Concordia	18	9
Salto	18	9

Parcels will be received at the Agency, 1 Calle Cuyo, up to Nine o'Clock, and Specie up to Eleven o'Clock in the morning of the day of sailing.

For further particulars apply at the Agency, Calle de Cuyo, No. 1.

HENRY DOWSE.

Argentine Diligences

189 CALLE RIVADAVIA, 189.

Leaves for Pilar, Capilla del Senor, San Antonio de Areco, and Arrecifes on the 1st, 6th, 11th, 16th, and 26th of each Month.

Leaves Arrecifes for Buenos Ayres, passing by San Antonio de Areco, Capilla del Senor, and Pilar on the 4th, 9th, 14th, 19th, 24th, and 29th of each Month.

Leaves the Argentine Hotel of Messrs. Dorrego and Montero, in the Capilla del Senor, passing by Pilar, on the 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, and 30th of each Month.

Price of Passage and Luggage per Arr.

To Pilar	10 dols.	...	10 dols.
,, Capilla del Senor ...	70	...	15
,, San Antonio de Areco	120	...	20
,, Arrecifes ...	500	...	25

Conductors and Owners,
PAUL AND ROMULO DIAZ.

British Steamer 'FAIRY,'

This fine, fast-sailing, beautiful Steamer will leave this for the Ports of the Uruguay every TUESDAY, at Twelve a.m., and every SATURDAY, at Half-past Four in the Afternoon,

FOR MONTEVIDEO.

TARIFA.

	Pats.		
Montevideo	8		
Martin Garcia	8		
Higueritas	6		
Fray Bentos	8	Steerage, Half Price.	
Concepcion del Uruguay	10		
Roman	10		
Paysandu	12		
Concordia, Salto ...	18		

Metallic—Gold, ¼ per cent.; silver, ½ per cent.
Freights—10 pats. per ton of 40 feet, or 10 arrobes
No Passengers allowed on board without their corresponding ticket from the Agency; otherwise they will have to pay one patacon extra.

Parcels received in the Agency up to Sunset the day previous to leaving, and Specie up to Eleven o'Clock the day of sailing.

Agency Calle Cuyo, No. 1.

HENRY DOWSE.

FOREIGN AMATEUR RACES.

SPRING MEETING, NOV. 1, 1864.

First Race, 12 Noon.

Trial Stakes—Entry, Three Hundred Dollars, with Three Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 143lb. Once round.

Second Race, 12½ p.m.

Amateur Stakes—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars, with Five Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 145lb. Half round.

Third Race, 1½ p.m.

Buenos Ayres Stakes Entry, Four Hundred Dollars with Five Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 140 lb. One and a half rounds.

Fourth Race, 3 p.m.

Ladies' Purse—Entry, Five Hundred Dollars, with Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars added. For horses that have never run at any previous public meeting. Weight, 141lb. Once round.

Fifth Race, ½ p.m.

Challenge Stakes—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars, with Six Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 140lb. Two rounds.

Sixth Race, 4½ p.m.

Committee Purse—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars, with Five Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 145lb. Once round.

Seventh Race, 5 p.m.

Consolation Stakes (for beaten horses of the day)—Entry, Two Hundred Dollars, with Three Thousand Dollars added. Catch weights. Once round.

Colts and Fillies under 3 years allowed 10 lbs. Mares 7 do. Winners at any public meeting of the distances in which they are entered to carry 5lb extra; if winners of more than one, 5lb. extra. Horses may be run with or without plates, at the option of owners. Any rider presented by a Member or Owner, and approved of by the Committee, shall be admissible, on depositing Five Hundred Dollars m/c. as a deposit for honest riding, which amount to be forfeited in case of a conviction.

Complete English Jockey Costume, consisting of jacket, breeches, and top boots, to be strictly adhered to; and only English saddles containing the corresponding tree and pullet-plate to be used.

The printed rules of the New Market Jockey Club to be strictly observed, so far as practicable, in the opinion of the Committee.

Nominations, amount of entries, names, marks and colors of horses, colors of riders, to be made on or before the 15th October next, sealed, and delivered at Calle 25 de Mayo, No. 7.

N.B.—Half forfeit allowed if declared on or before the 28th October, 1864.

NOTICE.

We beg to advise the Public, and our Friends in particular, that we have been appointed, by letter from Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son, and Co., Dublin (copy of which we annex) sole Agents in Buenos Ayres for the sale of their celebrated Extra Stout.

BARRY & WALKER,
97 Calle Defensa.

(copy.)

"James's Gate Brewery, Dublin, 6th May, 1864.

"We have appointed Messrs. Barry and Walker sole Agents for the sale of our Porter in Buenos Ayres.

ma 2 (Signed) "ARTHUR GUINNESS, SON, & Co."

Important to Sheep Farmers.

The undersigned begs to notify all Persons interested in wool-growing, that he has just received a fresh supply of that celebrated and popular remedy, the SOUTH DOWN SHEEP WASH, the only safe and effectual cure for the Scab in Sheep ever used in this country.

The immense demand for this article last year by all the principal Estancieros, native and foreign, if sufficient recommendation of its efficacy.

The exportation from the United States to Australia alone amounted last year to twenty-five thousand pounds.

No true Sheep Farmer will be without this important remedy, which will ensure him long and full fleeces.

For sale, wholesale and retail, at the General Agency, Messrs. Barry and Walker's, No. 97 Calle Defensa.

a 1 CHAS. S. BOWERS, Sole Agent.

Ramon Miguel

Has the honor to inform the Irish residents of Salto and neighbouring districts that he has opened a House of Business in the Posta of his name, on the estancia Yrala, where he will keep a constant supply of Goods including Drapery and Groceries.

Being "Standard" Agent for the district, he will pay every attention to any commission entrusted to him.

1 m j 30 RAMON MIGUEL.

AUCTION SALE.

THE REMEDIOS ESTANCIA will be sold at Auction at Thomas Gowland's rooms on the 31st inst., at 12 o'clock. It will be divided in two lots:

1st. The principal Estancia of 2,343 cuadras, its houses, fences, corrales, montes, galpones, etc.

2d. The Southern portion of the land known as the Rambouillet department, containing 527 cuadras of land and all the premises, fences, corrales, alfalfares, etc., etc. Plans can be had at the auctioneer's, as also printed catalogues showing all the particulars.

1m, A 10, w&d

Jameson's Real old Dublin Whiskey.

5 years old and bottled off sherry casks
Hibernian House,
64, 66 and 68 PIEDAD.
a 10, 6 p

JUST OPENED,

A Cask of the beautiful Burton Ale of Ind Coope and Co.'s,
For Sale at the Confiteria
No. 21 RIVADAVIA.
a 7, 3 p

A Good English Cook

Will accept a situation with an English family. Calle Reconquista 44
a 10, 3 p

COTTON GINS.

NEWLY IMPROVED, can be worked by hand, consequently better adapted to the present wants of cotton growers in this country.

On Sale at
T; B. COFFIN, SON AND CO.,
Esmeralda 85 and 87.
a 8, 9 p

15 PER CENT REDUCTION

In the splendid assortment of ready made Clothing for Men and Children at 213 and 217 Calle Cuyo, 'Sastreria del Capricho.' The owner of this establishment wishing to retire from business proposes to sell off at the above great reduction.

a 8, 6 o

FOR ANTWERP.

The ISTRIA will be despatched for the above port in a few days, and can accommodate a few cabin passengers.

Term, £30 (without wines)

Apply to Captain Tavernier, 194 Parque, or to Messrs. H. A Green and Co., 85 Reconquista.

a 9, 9 p

Housemaid and Female Cook

Wanted. Calle Chile 273.
a 10, 3 p

Eine gute Koechinn wird für eine deutsche familie gesucht. Nchere Auskunft wird ertheilt. Calle Chacabuco 142. a 10, 3 p

Cork Butter—First Brand.

M'Cann's Oatmeal.
Sinclair's Hams.
Cheshire Cheese.
HIBERNIAN HOUSE,
64, 66 AND 68 PIEDAD.
a 10, 3 p

ENGLISH THEATRICALS.

On Tuesday evening, 16th inst., at the ARGENTINE THEATRE, will be performed the Comedy,

A BACHELOR OF ARTS.

After which the Teutonia and British Glee Clubs will sing the celebrated

SOLDIERS' CHORUS,

From the Opera of Faust, by Gounod.

To be followed by the Farce

TICKLISH TIMES.

The performances will be by Amateurs. No sale of tickets will be made at the door, and those sold will not be transferable.

Tickets for Dress Circle, Pit, and Cazuela may be had on application to G. Perry, No. 11 Hotel de la Paix; W. H. Moores, No. 120 Calle Piedad; Wilson Jacobs, No. 65 Calle San Martin.

The amount received will be sent to the "United States Sanitary Commission."

The Performances will commence at Eight p.m.

Auction by C. Ristorini.

GREAT MILL OF THE WEST

Situate in the Plaza Once de Setiembre, Calle Cangallo, opposite to the Western Railway Station goods-store now building.

On Friday 12th inst at 1 p.m. precisely will be sold to the highest bidder, and on terms to be then laid down, the above splendid establishment.

The Mill covers 47 yards frontage with 150 in depth. The first cost of this valuable edifice exceeded five millions dollars currency. Nevertheless the shareholders have resolved to sell it for whatever it will fetch.

Afterwards will be sold the following:

500 large canvass sacks for corn.

An American weighing machine, which can weigh up to 2000 lbs.

A new cedar glass-door: two windows with iron bars.

Two ladders, and several other articles.

Also a fine jardiniere carriage to hold eight persons, drawn by one or two horses: it may serve for an omnibus.

British Library Lectures.

The second of the course of Lectures will be delivered by the Rev. James Smith in the Reading Room on Friday Evening, 12th inst., at 8 o'clock. Admission free.

M. FORRESTER.

Mr. JOHN SCALLAN,

Late of Ballytrent, a letter awaits in this office, from your brother Michael Scallan, lately arrived in this country.

Subscription to the "Standard"

$ 30 PER MONTH.

ADVERTISEMENTS

Not exceeding five lines inserted three times for $ 5.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer; not necessary for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

The Standard.

"Nil falsi audeam nil veri non audeam dicere."—*Cicero.*

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1864.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The legal farce of scrutinising the illegal conduct of the authorities of San Nicolas in allowing five prisoners to escape from the public prison in that town will come off to-day in the Cabildo. As a matter of course it will end in nothing.

The game of 'sortija' has become so intensely popular that a gentleman enjoying the name of Booge has opened an establishment at the Hueco de los Sauces, and on Sundays and holidays this gaucho game can be witnessed by all who choose to buy tickets.

In the list of lawsuits about to be tried we are sorry to see that our countrymen are in court: on to-morrow the important suit of O'Donnell versus Bogan will be tried, the question at issue being the title to some camp.

On the 5th, 6th, and 7th of next month beneath the galleries of the Cabildo will be sold, by order of the court, a lot of cows, sheep and horses. As there is a probability of their going cheap we advise our friends to be on the look out.

The arrival of ready made soldiers from France is steadily augmenting: within the last few days some fifty or sixty Frenchmen, sent out by Señor Calvare, arrived for the national army. Owing to the present military system we think this is useless expense.

Doctor Furst has been brought before the public by some anonymous writer who complains that he refused to attend a sick child when called upon. We think that the doctor in question should have been the *first* to attend the call and the last to have refused.

A complaint has been sent to us respecting the bellicose character of one of President Mitre's hostlers, the particulars of the case are as follows:—A milkman, of the name of Ledesma, returning home the other day after disposing of his milk, was invited by the servant of the President, who is stopping in Maldonado minding his horses, to get down in a pulperia in that locality and play a game of cards; accepting the invitation, they entered the trastienda and played away until the servant of his Excellency lost every real he had; as a matter of course when the milkman attempted to retire with his gains a fight ensued; the ruffian soldier drew his sword and cut the unfortunate milkman in the most frightful manner. We have not heard if the soldier has been arrested or not.

It is lamentable to see that the Government still persists in drafting the prisoners which arrive from the camp into the army: within the last few days fifteen vagabonds have been made soldiers of the line.

An attempt has been made to obtain from Government a subsidy for the translation of Kent's Commentaries. President Mitre ought to be alive to the injustice of sanctioning such a step; these commentaries are as much the property of the present Judge Kent of New York, the surviving son of the talented commentator, as is the Life of Belgrano of Bartholemew Mitre. On behalf of one whose acquaintance we had the happiness to enjoy, we may be permitted to say that President Mitre should be the last man to lend himself to so monstrous a literary robbery.

Our country friends will be glad to hear that the Provincial Government of Buenos Ayres is organizing a camp police force—it is not before it was badly wanted.

The latest news we can give our readers respecting Mr. Wells and his baloon is, that he is getting up a lottery for the sum of a hundred thousand dollars. We believe the Municipality is not over friendly to the proposition, but we hope it will be passed.

We perceive that a man named John Brown is called to appear by the Judges to answer a charge for cutting and wounding Henry Latigne and Augustus Sordet. It is rather improbable Mr. Brown will respond to the invitation.

The heirs of Mr. James Wallace are called upon to appear, and make good their claims, at the office of Don Julio Mendez.

Messrs. Balbin & Plowes will shortly sell by auction a magnificent estate in one of the provinces. As these gentlemen never advertise their auctions in this paper, they are much indebted to our great supply of the milk of human kindness in notifying the few persons who can or will invest in such property, of the event.

A subscriber from Salto informs us that the camps in that partido are in the most excellent condition, and that a new church is about being built in that little town, all the foreigners in that neighborhood having subscribed most munificently.

Our readers will hardly credit that the transportation of wheat from Cordova and Santa Fé to the partido of Luxan actually costs less than from Chivilcoy, and in proof thereof the millers of Luxan are at present buying Cordovese wheat in the Boca and sending it by rail to that partido.

Another diligence came to grief on Wednesday morning just as it was leaving town. The wheels came off and as a matter of course down came the 'bus. The cries of the passengers, the kicking of the horses, and the shouting of the peons startled the whole neighborhood. A few bruises was the extent of the accident. The cargo on the roof would have filled two capacious bullock-carts.

Montevideo.

The envoy Saraiva, not finding the Government disposed to make satisfaction for the Brazilian claims, was on the point of leaving Montevideo, probably to carry out the menace of reprisals, when President Aguirre requested him to delay his departure: it is said he gave but one day for deliberation, and that probably the Government would yield to his demands.

A change in the Ministry of War was caused by the resignation of General Lamas, and General Andres Gomez, a personal enemy of Flores, was appointed as successor. General Servando Gomez was said to be named to take command of the army, in room of Lucas Moreno, who seems to have been dismissed: the former was to leave for head-quarters on Wednesday, attended by Colonel Aparicio. We do not hear what became of Sr. Oribe, Chief of Police at Colonia, who was sent to the capital in irons. Colonel Piris had orders to proceed to the country. The officers shot by Flores after the surrender of Florida were: Major Parraga, Captain Sotelo, Lieutenants Hinchaurbe, Ibarra, Bosh, Castillo, and Silva: it was rumored that an English officer, commanding the artillery, had also fallen a victim. It seems Flores was enraged at the loss of his son, killed in one of the three charges sustained by the garrison before its fall.

A decree dated 9th inst. complains of the apathy and reluctance displayed by the National Guard in doing garrison duty in the capital, and orders all citizens, under pain of arrest, who may not be enrolled to present themselves, within 48 hours, at the Comandancia.

The Brazilian war-steamer, Paranahiba arrived from Rio, and three others, the Marin, Recife and Itajahy were to follow, so that the Imperial navy in Montevideo would present a formidable force.

The Russian frigate Alma left Rio to join the Varing at Montevideo *en route* for the Pacific, but was obliged to put back in a damaged state owing to a heavy gale she encountered.

The Spanish corvette 'Vencedora' is said to have received orders to proceed to the Chinchas, in reinforcement of Admiral Pinzon.

Letters from Mercedes 7th inst report some forged one-dollar notes off the Banco Comercial in circulation. Colonel Olivera reviewed the garrison, which suffered much from the cold. Maximo Perez continued carrying of men and cattle, for Flores's head-quarters. A sergeant of the rebels, named Carlos Medina, entered Soriano, and was seized by the police and lodged in prison.

The funeral of the second engineer, Mr. Eshgriff, of the Russian frigate, took place on Monday, and was attended by the crew and a number of citizens. On Tuesday died Mr. Joseph Coello, father-in-law to our respected foreign resident, Mr. Richard O'Shea: deceased was an Englishman, aged sixty-five years. The proprietor of a Cafe Chantant at Rio is expected shortly, being about to open a similar establishment in Montevideo. The new Opera Company has received music from Buenos Ayres, and will make its *debut* on the 11th. The British gunboat Dotterell received some slight damage in the recent gale: it is thought she is gone down to Maldonado.

The "Pais" states that when Col. Aparicio prepared to set out for the camp, a number of citizens requested permission to join him as volunteers, against Flores.

THE ORIENTAL WAR.

Assault of Durazno.

Storming of Florida

CAPTURE OF TACUAREMBO

Advices from Porongos inform us that the rebels, under Moyano, made an attack on Durazno which was defended by Col. Pizard, and the garrison fought with great bravery, the fate of the town not being decided up to latest dates (6th inst): the assailants had suffered heavily. At the same time another column under Perez and Valiente awaited reinforcement to make a descent on Porongos, but the garrison was determined to give the filibusters a warm r ception.

The latest news from Rio Negro (5th inst) reports Mercedes strongly garrisoned, and Major Larravide was making entrenchments to defend Fray Bentos in case the Colorados attempted to surprise that place.

General Moreno's despatch relating the fall of Florida treats that reverse as a subject of glory for the Government arms, and of disgrace for Flores. The garrison was composed of 51 National Guards, 17 policemen, and 12 pensioners: the Florida infantry batt. and Nat. Guard cavalry were absent on camp service. General Flores attacked the town with 800 horse and foot, on the 4th inst. Major Parraga made a gallant defence for several hours, killing 11 officers and several soldiers of the enemy: among the former were Colonel Faustino Lopez and Venancio Flores (son to the General), besides 50 wounded. At length the garrison being nearly all killed, Major Parraga surrendered, and Flores caused him and three other officers to whom quarter had been given, to be at once shot. Faustino Lopez's son, instead of demanding vengeance for his father, generously interceded for one of the officers and saved his life. The rebels commenced to sack the town, and great enormities were perpetrated: two women were killed and several children wounded, and a shop belonging to Sor Priato was burnt down because the garrison had planted a battery on the azotea. It is not true that young Flores was murdered after the fight, but the rebels accuse Parraga of having shot an officer bearing a flag of truce.

Colonel Orrego's despatch, 31st inst., gives a full account of the capture of Tacuarembó. That town was held by a band of Colorados, who occupied the plaza and the adjoining azotea-roofs. At 2 p. m. the troops were led on to the attack in five columns; Capt. Benavides commanding the left, Lieut. Bilcha the right, Lieut. Arevalo by the Calle Real, Capt. Senociano by the Gefatura, and Orrego and staff by the Comandancia. The advancing bodies were met on all sides by a sharp musquetry fire from the barricades. Arevalo succeeded in forcing his way into the plaza, but was unable to hold his ground, unaided, and was compelled to retreat, his horse being killed under him. Capt. Benavides fared in like manner, having two horses killed, but neither of these columns lost a single man in the fight. The infantry under Senociano pushed on valiantly and drove the enemy from their position behind the Azumbuya barricade, after which all the other defences were easily reduced, except that of Chucarro and the Police-barrack, in which the rebels were strongly barricaded. Senociano, with his infantry, held his ground till 6:30 p. m., under a raking fire from the above positions, which seemed impregnable. He pulled down the Colorado flag from the Comandancia, and, having received orders from Orrego to retire, he drew off his men in order, leaving ten of the enemy killed, and several wounded.—The storming forces had none killed, and but one soldier badly wounded. The commander speaks in high terms of the valor of his men, and the brilliancy of the exploit, although it will be seen that the rebels remained masters of the place.

Rebels levying contributions

The 'Reforma' mentions the capture of some correspondence found on Capt. Virgilio who was killed by the Government picquets of the Salto garrison. A letter from (rebel) Colonel Castro dated Tacuarembo 29th July, to Colonel Rodrigues states that it is intended to make an attack on Salto and Paysandu. Colonel Ylla was despatched to the former district to make arrgements, and Colonel Santana was to co-operate. The rebels had named D. Mateo Tula to levy the property tax off all farmers North of Rio Negro, and the present was to request Rodriguez to lend him any aid he might require in enforcing payment. The writers laments that the 'liberators' are very hard up, and this is the only means to replenish Flores's exchequer. D. Julio Barrios was in like manner commissioned to collect in the district of Salto. Virgilio was also bearer of 50 uniforms and 8 dollars, besides some boots for Rodriguez's friends.

Another letter was from Colonel Santana begging for two companies wherewith to make a descent on the estancias near Salto, and complaining that some one had *stolen* all his horses.

A third, signed J. H. de Gordines, and dated Tacuarembó 19th July announces the arrival of three spies from Salto who report that garrison only 120 strong and quite demoralized. The writer advises Colonel Rodriguez to join Colonel Illa and attack that town which can make no defence, and then he (Rodrifiuez) might gain the rank of General from Flores.

Montevideo, Aug. 1864.

In my last I gave you intelligence prematurely of the death of General Antonio Diaz, which I heard from many respectable persons, but it appears untrue, though he has been declining ever since. This place has been always noted for getting up reports about one thing and another, which eventually cause people to place little confidence in what one hears. To get up a false report of the death of a person, is, too bad and shameful in the extreme, but there are people capable of almost any act, however it may wound one's feelings.

Yesterday one of our oldest and most respectable ship-chandlers of this city departed for another world, after a long and painful illness. Mr. Joseph Ocelho in the 65th year of his age, leaving a large family. He was a native of Gibraltar, but for many years a resident of this place. His principal patronage was from the American Naval vessels stationed here, but of late years there being few or none on this station, his business has been much reduced, and his family left poor. He was a truly honest man in all his dealing, and had many friends who deeply sympathise with his afflicted wife and family. The officer who was buried from the Russian frigate 'Varnae,' a few days since was killed while shipping the ladder alongside the ship, his head being horribly crushed.

The other Russian frigate 'Alma' which has been expected for some time to join this one this one on there way to the Pacific, sailed for this port, but was obliged to return to the same port again in distress. Captain Hanlan of the English yacht has not yet sailed; his vessel is anchored outside the Port. The Russian Commander has offered him a tow through the straits of Magellan for political news I must refer you to the newspapers which you will find interesting.

AMERICUS.

The Rio Quinto, Cordoba.

By MARTIN DE MOUSSY.

It will be interesting to know something about the territory marked out for the Irish colonial project, and no authority can be more reliable than the distinguished writer above-named, whose work, published a couple of years ago in Paris, has become a text-book in all River Plate matters. We quote from Vol. I., page 157, as follows:—

"The Rio Quinto is formed by the waters descending from the heights of Pancanta, a table-land 6006 feet high, and from the steep valleys of Carolina and Cañada Honda, in the mountain range (sierra) of San Luis. Its first course is from north to south: on emerging from the sierra it bends towards east-south-east, and then debouches into an undulating plain, digging for itself an unexen bend through masses of pebble-stone, covered with rich verdure. At the point where it is crossed by the high road to Mendoza, it has already become a rapid river, some 100 yards wide, whose clear, transparent waters display a bed of sand and stone mixed with mica, and having an extraordinarily brilliant appearance. The land hereabouts is 2200 feet above the level of the sea. Thickly wooded hills border the Rio Quinto on either side, forming a narrow valley which inclines gradually to the south-east. Three leagues further we meet Fort San Ignacio, and 24 miles more brings us to Fort Viejo: both these places are 2000 feet above the sea, but 12 miles from the latter stands Fort Constitucional (formerly Las Pulgas) at an elevation of only 1600 feet. Thus in 48 miles we find an incline of 600 feet, which accounts for the rapidity of the river. Passing the last Fort, we enter on an almost level plain, through which the Rio Quinto quietly winds its way.

At Paso Lechuzo (the owl's ford), where a small military post has been re-established under the name "Fort 3rd of February," the river slowly drags itself over a sandy bottom into which it finally sinks and disappears about 20 leagues further on, after a total course of 300 miles, more or less.

"The smamps and lagunas of Juncal, in which the Rio Quinto is lost, vary in extent according to the season. In wet years, the waters spread out eastward into large bañados. The valley of Rio Quinto seems to prolong itself east south-east as far as Fort Federacion, which is the north-west limit of the Province of Buenos Ayres, and in the neighborhood whereof are found a great number of small lakes and lagoons; in the latter have their rise several revulets which ultimately coalesce and form the Rio Salado of Buenos Ayres.

"In this manner the latter river seems but a continuation (after an interruption of 30 or 40 leagues) of the Rio Quinto, and if at a future period a canal were constructed both might be united not only for purposes of irrigation, but even for fluvial navigation."

The Buey Traction Engine.

On Tuesday last a preliminary trial trip of this machine lately brought from England for Messrs. Pueyrredon, Beare and Rusiñol took place, in the presence of a large number of expectators anxious to witness so novel a sight. The putting together of the Engine &c. had only been completed the day before in a yard alongside the Riachuelo in the Barracas a suburb about 3 miles from town. The road to Barracas is one long unbroken line of loose sand, generally about ½ a yard deep until near the town a sudden rise takes place about ½ of a mile in length and a gradient of about 1 in ten. Having got up steam about 11 o'clock, away she went with 3 waggons loaded with wheels gear &c. belonging to the 'Empresarios' making a gross weight of nearly 12 tons.

To the great surprise of every one the train proceeded at a regular speed over the sand and ascended the hill without the slightest difficulty. Although the Engine was built simply for running over our pampa roads, the 'Empresarios' wished it a severe trial by sending it over the awful stone pavement of the calle Buen Orden, in many places covered with thick mud 9 inches deep; here unfortunately the fore axle became disarranged which prevented further progress for the time. The result, however, was sufficient to solve the problem that traction Engines can be most advantageously employed in the interior of the Republic. The National Government we hear is in every respect perfectly satisfied with the new, to us, system of locomotion.

TORO.

Emigration to Bahia Blanca.

We are happy to say that the Municipality of the above town have at last gone the right way to work to obtain immigrants. As there are many who are willing to avail themselves of the Municipal offer, we translate and publish it, although the members of that distant corporation never thought proper to esk us; still we don't mind that: our ambition is to serve our countrymen. The following are the terms offered:—

I.—Every immigrant family which desires to emigrate to Bahia Blanca shall have a free passage on board any of the sajling vessels on that line.

II.—On arrival, the Municipality undertakes to support them free of charge for one month, and to obtain for them employment.

III.—The Municipality undertakes to give in fee to each family which arrives, the following land:—one solar of 35 by 75 yards, a quinta two squares square, or a chacra four squares front by five deep.

The agent of the Bahia Blanca Municipality is a Mr. Candido Gavan. Where he resides we cannot say, but all who think of accepting the above offer should apply to the Emigration House in Calle Corrientes.

The New Hand-Book.

Merchants and others who have recently changed their residences or places of business, will please send in particulars at their earliest convenience.

Rumored News from Europe.

Yesterday there was a rush from all quarters to the Foreign Club, it having been reported through town that the popular Manager, Mr. Price, was in possession of very important letters, which contained several days' later news from Europe. After the most ceaseless efforts on our part to get at the true version, we discovered that a certain well-known English merchant had received a letter from Montevideo, stating that the Brazilian steamer which had arrived yesterday from Rio had brought most startling news from Europe, to the effect that the British Parliament had passed a vote of censure upon the Ministers. On further inquiry it transpired that an officer on board the "Bom-

bay" had communicated this intelligence to a brother officer on board the "Satellite," by letter; that just as the Brazilian steamer was leaving the British packet entered, and that there was no time to send newspapers or further particulars.

It is right to remark that the Brazilian steamer left on the 30th, and the English mail steamer was not due before the 1st or 2d: it seems, therefore, extremely improbable that the news can be authentic, and yet, from the state of things at home at the departure of the last packet, it was by no means improbable that Parliament should adopt this course. The "Mersey" will probably arrive on Sunday, and then we shall be relieved from all doubt.

New Publication.

We hear of a new Argentine book, which will shortly be published at the "Tribuna" or "Nacion Argentina" printing-offices. The title of the work is "Fiambres:" it will contain all the speeches in Congress since May, 1854, the discourses delivered at the Retiro and in the Colon, on the Peruvian sympathetic question, the cane-bottom chair address of President Mitre, spoken in front of Mr. Geoghegan's Irish hotel, essays by Argentine writers on the abolition of capital punishment, the various projects for the redemption of the paper dollar, presented to the public since the fall of Rosas, official reports from the justices of the peace in the country as to the state of pig-feeding in the camp, Presidential addresses and Governors' speeches since the downfall of the Spanish rule, extracts from the "Standard" as to the inexhaustible richness of the silver mines of San Juan and the future prosperity of Argentine cotton planters, Argentine petitions on various subjects. The volume concludes with a chapter upon the past, present, and future of the "River Plate Magazine," and a few remarks upon River Plate puns. The book will be nicely bound, and, we believe, illustrated by Dodge. Price five of the proposed new paper dollars, *i.e.* 13½ to an ounce.

Latest from Corrientes.

The city of Corrientes is improving greatly; it is no longer the miserable and forgotten town of an out-of-the-way province, but a thriving capital. A gentleman from Buenos Ayres is about to start a coach establishment, so that the rich and lovely Correntine ladies can go to 'tertulias' and operas *a la mode*.

The Government expedition across the Gran Chaco to Santiago has terminated well; the engineers are gone down to Buenos Ayres to see the minister; they will shortly return.

Jose Sosa, the fellow who it appears was bribed to murder Colonel Caseres, has been arrested and lodged in prison. It is said that if he succeeded in the attempt he was to receive fifty ounces.

A dramatic company is expected from Rosario, and will shortly perform in the theatre.

The estancieros complain that they can get no purchasers for their cattle, and that the province is altogether too thickly stocked with cattle.

Madame Mollo's Benefit.

Nothing afforded us greater pleasure than to learn yesterday that some friends were unable to purchase a box for to-night's performance. The charming and talented prima-donna merits an ovation from the public, for, her arrival in Buenos Ayres, more than a year ago, may be regarded as the revival of the opera in our city. Over 100 times she has enchanted us with her graceful rendering and artistic execution of the *chefs d'œuvre* of Italian composers, and it is but fair, in return, that the playgoers should for once exhibit their full appreciation of her merits, by giving her an enthusiastic benefit-night. Besides the 'Ballo en Maschera' we are promised several pretty pieces, as will be seen in the advertising section.

Theatrical Report.

On Tuesday night the French theatre was crowded, to witness the *debut* of Mdlle. Blanche Fiorelle, and the new actress drew down thunders of applause: she is very pretty, graceful, and clever, and possesses a sweet soprano voice, though not of great strength. She will certainly prove an invaluable acquisition to the Bouffes, and gain great popularity. Madame Pauline still suffers from a cold. M. D'Hote is without dispute the best actor in Buenos Ayres. The performances were first rate; the names of the pieces do not interest our readers.

Norma came off at Colon on Wednesday evening; the house was rather thin, hardly numbering 600 persons. The opera was most successful, the singing being very good, and the scenery as attractive as before.

GOLD SPECULATORS.—The Washington correspondent of the 'Cincinnati Gazette' gives the following account of the New York gold market:—"Whether in gold or stocks everything in Wall-street depends upon having the earliest news, and consequently there is not a leading stockdealing firm in New York that does not have from one to a half dozen correspondents in Washington, charged to spare no pains or expense in furnishing them by telegraph, and generally in cipher, the earliest intelligence of any success or disaster in the field, any important action of the Treasury Department, any rumour of foreign complications—in short, anything likely to affect the hopes or fears of the community, which find their barometer in the wavering of the gold market. These correspondents are generally men supposed to have the confidence of high officials, or access to early despatches; and, for obvious reasons, their engagement is kept as secret as possible. Last summer one New York banking house, in a boastful moment, claimed that it could always have news within an hour after the President had it; and another was said to have numbered among its correspondents the chief of staff of a great army in the field. Of course the services of such men are not enlisted without a 'consideration' proportionate at once to the risks they run in furnishing the desired news, and to the nature and accuracy of the news itself. In general this consideration depends on what is made out of their information. Occasionally one of these correspondents makes a lucky strike—much more often he furnishes news for weeks and months without its having such an effect on the market as to bring him more than the merest driblets of profit. But the chance of 'something brilliant' has its fascinations, and the stock operators have no difficulty in inducing well-informed people to furnish them all the news they get. A bureau of the Government resolves to recommend a tax on a particular article—before the recommendation reaches Congress, certain parties in New York have it, and have bought up all the articles they can get; and when the rise comes they pocket the proceeds. It seems utterly impossible to prevent this. When news of important battles is coming in, Government has sometimes attempted it, but the effort was as idle as it was foolish. A censor has been established at the telegraph office, and he has wisely suppressed every despatch saying a word about the war. But a servant comes in with a hurried scrawl on a torn sheet of delicately scented French paper in a lady's hand:—'George H. Montgomery, Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York. Do come home at once. Mary cannot live 24 hours longer—Laura Montgomery.' How can he stop that? But 'George H. Montgomery' is a myth; and Mary's illness means Hooker's defeat; and the hotel clerk has been instructed to send any such despatch by the speediest means to somebody's bank down town; and the firm makes the money, and the Government censor keeps blinking like an owl over the despatches, and rigidly stopping 'everything relating to the war;' and Mr. Staunton felicitates himself over having made those newspaper pests send their latest accounts by mail rather than by telegraph! 'How little sense it takes to ruin a Government,' said some man! Once during last summer, a leading newspaper editor got disgusted, and determined that the gold gamblers should not monopolize all the early news. So he went into the cipher business too, but being rather raw at it his first effort was not quite so good as some subsequent ones. He forwarded the cipher to his leading Washington correspondent. Pretty soon the operators in his city, who knew him solely as devoted newspaper man, were astonished at receiving for him this despatch from Washington:—'Have sold for you 15,000 bushels of corn at 35. The market looks squally.' His paper announced the next morning that the main body of Lee's army had crossed the Maryland line, and was moving into Pennsylvania; and his chief rival got very mad and complained to the War Department that he was bribing the telegraph company; but it was whispered about among his friends that so-and-so was neglecting his business and going into very rash speculations, and—he changed his cipher."

English Letters

Lying at the General Post-Office, Buenos Ayres, August 1st, 1864.

Roberto Arroz, Wm. R. Brand, R. Brett, David Bruce, J. Ashton Brown, W. Beerman, Michael Borne, W. R. G. Brant, Chas. J. Bury, W. R. Beede, Capt. Brimer, James Blackall, Taplin J. Corwin, Edward Cole, Mrs. Thomas Craig, John Coleman, J. W. Deslandes, L. & F. Dillon, Mrs. Douthat (2), Gerald Dillon, Fred P. Dyer (2), John H. Faw-cett, James Gaynor, A. J. Gibbon, John Gell, M. Gladstone, Henrico Hamann, Frank Humphrey, James Harrison, Samuel Johnson (2), Juan Koch, Hugh Kelly, C. A. King, T. Welles Morrell (2), Joseph Miller, Allan McKenzie, John A. Murphy, Wm. B. McLellan, Martin Marcell, Michel Murray, J. Mitchell, Nevil B. Mortimer (2), Thos. McMurchie, W. M. McHeigh, James Nolair, O. Naswortby, Tomas P. Oliden, Agustinó Oberti, Agostinó Pavía, Otto Rehse, David Reid (2), F. W. Rickel, Pepita Sala, Manuel Lemboriay, Henry Sarjent, E. C. Sargent, Wm. Stewart, A. R. F. Smith, Samuel Smith, Smith Brothers, J. C. Taplin, J. B. Troutbeck, James Trimble, F. J. Van Blarcom, A. Wucherer, Matthew Wardrop, Edward Welsh, Mathias A. Warleto, I. Y. Ingouville.

LOCAL EVENTS.

Revista de B. Ayres.—We will review this interesting magazine to-morrow.

The Mersey—We may expect the English mails on Sunday morning.

Holiday.—Monday, being the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin, will be a strict church holiday.

To the Tribuna.—Our colleague is always talking about Cesar's wife, and giving to Cesar what belongs to him, and so-forth. But the attempt in Sunday's paper to palm off our invention, "Editor's Table," as his own, is not exactly fair. All the papers in the River Plate will soon have this chapter, and acknowledge they borrow a wrinkle from the *Standard*.

On 'Change.

August 11, 1864.

Paper price of ounces, 454½.

Sovereigns, 139.

To-day was a rather exciting day on 'Change. The Bolsa was feverish in the extreme, and at the opening patacons exhibited a little more firmness than on yesterday, but it was transitory, and towards two o'clock the market could not be weaker.

Patacons had five prices to-day.

First price	28 40
Second	28 45
Third	28 40
Fourth	28 35
Fifth	28 40

Cash sales 36,908.

TIME SALES.

For Thursday,	2,000	28 40
Friday,	4,000	28 35
Saturday,	34,220	28 35
Oct. 15,	10,000	28 30
Do. 31,	10,000	28 30
Sept. 30,	2,000	28 35
Oct. 31,	2,000	28 30
Sept. 5	24,000	28 35
Aug. 20,	4,600	20 40
Sept. 30,	15,000	28 35
Oct. 15,	15,000	do.
Do. 31,	39,000	do.
Sept. 15,	2,000	28 40
Sept. 30,	4,000	28 30
Oct. 31,	6,000	28 30
Sept. 30,	8,000	do.
March 31,	4,000	do.
Sept. 30,	6,000	28 30
Do. do.	6,000	do.
Oct. 31,	2,000	do.
Nov. 30,	2,000	do.
Do. 8,	16,000	do.
Oct. 31	4,000	28 25
Aug. 20,	3,200	28 25
Oct. 31,	2,000	28 35
Sept. 30,	10,000	28 30

Total sales, 356,998

Brokerage, $108.

The news on 'change to-day was as follows:

BULLS.

The sad state of the Banda Oriental.

The capture of Durazno with horrible slaughter.

The advance of the Brazilians.

The change of Ministry in the Mount.

The article in the "Nacion Argentina" denying that the Governments were agreed as to the projected loan.

The steamer "25 de Mayo" ordered to Martin Garcia, and the whole Argentine fleet to be got in readiness.

The news from Europe.

The number of bills drawn on Europe for the packet, and the great demand for specie.

BEARS.

The combination of the Germans to drive down gald.

The resolution of the English not to sell any more goods in specie.

The probable arrival of half a million sterling in the packet for some of the banks.

The determination of Mitre, Saavedra, Gonsalez, and Dominguez to regulate the paper dollar.

The weather getting so fine that shearing might probably begin next week, and consequently a frightful rush for paper dollars.

The great surfeit of gold in the private banks, which the managers cannot employ, as paper is only in demand.

The moral certainty that the balance of trade will be with us at last, owing to the enormous stock of jerked beef in the River Plate, over a million of quintals.

The general disposition of every man to help the paper dollar. National Government determined to burn nothing at present, but ninety millions VERY SHORTLY.

The news from Europe.

There were no charters to-day, and nearly all the shipbrokers were very properly absent from the Hall. The Bolsa King still keeps selling on time and for cash.

It was said by an English gentleman, when standing at the speculation ruil of the Bolsa, the other day, that any man with twenty thousand pounds sterling in ready cash, can command the price of specie, or the value of the paper dollar at will. We believe he spoke correctly. Deluded Argentines attribute the present fall in patacons to the wisdom of our Finance Minister and the approach of shearing; but experienced men are not to be deceived, they believe that the twenty thousand pound men are at work with the market, and that the present fall is a speculative depreciation. There is a story told in New York of a certain mining stock, which owing to the absence of ore, had depreciated something on the scale of the Buenos Ayres paper dollar: the stock had fallen from 100 patacons down to 2 patacons per share, and even at that price there were hundreds of sellers, but no buyers. One fine day George Law, a well known capitalist, went on 'Change, and ordered his broker to buy up all the shares of this wild cat mining company. He bought on time, and for cash; and such was the anxiety of the brokers to make contracts for sales on time, that they contracted to sell more shares than really existed. As a matter of course the shares ran up, and in less than a week they touched par. People who were acquainted with George Law, knew that he would be the last man to invest in such a security, if it was not sound. Rumours got afloat that there was more in the mines than what most persons imagined: the shares were bought up by the keenest brokers on 'Change, Jacob Little and Co., and, as a matter of course, all the small brokers followed suit. But the game was soon played out; George Law had been selling at and above par, what he had bought at 90 per cent. discount, and down came the stock to Zero: he netted by the transaction close on a quarter of a million of patacons. People who dabble in Bolsa speculations, should ask themselves if there are no George Laws in Buenos Ayres. More specie is sold in the Bolsa than exists in the market; but it is difficult to get sellers into a corner, as specie can be brought from Rio and Montevideo; still the sellers are very busy at present gathering up patacons to deliver. Specie will probably descend as long as our George Laws will, and then—the present fall has been too sudden to be lasting: this is what most people think.

The great wool-broker of the Once sold all his old stock (16,000 arrobes) to-day, at reserved prices.

PRODUCE SALES.

160 dry cowhides	$112
80 do do	114
60 doz sheepskins	190
62 do do	180
76 do do	160
140 do do by lump	130
50 ar hair, South	125
500 dry horsehides	42
800 hides, wide, for Spain	37½ s rls

Died.

On the 5th inst. in this city, Mr. Robt. Atkinson, native of Northumberland, England, aged 68 years. Deceased was a resident in this country 40 years, and much respected for his Christian piety.

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For the Benefit of

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ON FRIDAY, 12TH AUGUST,

UN BALLO IN MASCHERA.

After the first act Madame Mollo will sing the celebrated Adeline Patti waltz, by Maurice Strákosch. After the 2nd act Madame Mollo accompanied by Sr. Celestino, will sing the beautiful duet from the Opera Buffa

DON PROCOPIO.

By Fioravanti.

At Eight o'Clock.

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The Great Mill Auction

To-day, Friday, at noon will be knocked down to the highest bidder the Great Mill of the West, by order of the shareholders who have fully authorised the undersigned, to this effect.

CARLOS RISTORINI.

1 p A 12.

Attention.

For Sale the Livery Stables situated in the Calle Peru No. 277, now is the time for a bargain as the good season is coming in.

3 p A 12.

For Sale.

The yellow house situated at the entrance of the Boca road, with a piece of land adjoining it. For further particulars apply at the quinta next Mr. Billinghurst's tile yard at any hour.

a 12, 15 p

Notice.

A Musical and Dramatic Recital will take place at the Concert Room in the Colon Theatre in the course of the present month, on which occasion an eminent English Tenor, recently arrived will sing some of the most favorite ballads of the day. Further particulars will be duly announced.

Tickets $30; to be had at Mackern's Library, and Manager of Foreign Club.

Buenos Ayres, August 10, 1861.

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White and Coloured Flannels

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Scotch Caps, &c.—all of which are offered at moderate prices.

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Lambs' wool vests, drawers and stockings cotton, do. do.

Boys, youths, and mens' woollen and cotton hosiery, Crimean shirts, &c. &c.

Also, pilot jackets and suits, boys and youths' do., heavy cord and moleskin pants, lined check shirts, white Holland shirts with linen fronts, and wrists every size, &c., with many other articles too numerous to mention.

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Prospectuses and all necessary information will be furnished on application

Bates Stokes & Co.

55—Maypu—55.

Fire Insurance Policies granted on almost every description of property at the "reduced tariff" rates.

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A Card.

J. W. GOODMAN, Maestro Mayor, approved City Surveyor, begs leave to inform his friends that he has removed his office from Calle Tacuari to his house 404 Calle Cangallo, where he still continues to appraise houses and lands, collect rents, and as usual houses inspected.

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All these subscriptions may be paid weekly, monthly, quarterly, half yearly, or yearly.

The capital of the Company shall be invested only in landed property (fincas) and with the greatest security.

The Board of Inspection, composed of subscribers, shall have charge of all the operations of the Company

Subscriptions in Paper Money.

The Directors, wishing to enlarge the operations of the Society, have acceded to the request of many people in this city, and determined to issue shares payable in Paper Money of Buenos Ayres, under the following conditions:—

Article 65—From the 1st of April, 1864, shares shall be issued to such persons as may wish to pay in Paper Money of Buenos Ayres, and in accordance with Article 17 chapter 5 of the Statutes of the Society, the lowest sum receivable 200 dollars annually, payable in one sum, or in instalments subject to the following rules:—

1st—For Paper Money Subscribers sections will be opened and kept separate from Silver Money Subscribers.

2nd—The liquidation of the sums belonging to the sections of Paper Money Subscribers will be administered according to Article 31 of the Statutes, and for account of these particular sections.

By these means the Directory hopes to gain its object, which is to enable the poorer classes to enjoy all the advantages of the society.

For further particulars apply at the Company's Office, No. 87 Calle S. Martin (altos), where prospectuses and circulars may be had.

SAVINGS BANK.

BANK MAUA & CO.,

No. 103 Calle de Cangallo,

BUENOS AYRES.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current are now so generally felt and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one at the bank in which they place the most confidence.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working classes in that city a safe and profitable depositary for their savings.

The sums deposited in that most important institution are daily increasing, and already reach a very large amount.

These advantages have not hitherto been enjoyed in this city by an immense number of clerks, artisans, working men, and servants of all classes and conditions, who are equally interested in putting their savings out at interest, thus providing themselves with a reserve fund in case of need, sickness, or old age, instead of spending them in the immoral gambling, in lotteries, and other frivolities.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. of this city, following the noble example of their firm in Montevideo, now offer the same facilities in this city, and will open a Savings Bank at No. 103 Calle Cangallo, from Nine a.m till Three p.m on Week Days, and on Sundays and Holidays from Ten a.m. to Twelve m., for the reception of the savings of the classes already mentioned.

The Bank will deliver to each depositor a pass book, in which will be entered the amount deposited and withdrawn

The depositor is permitted at any time to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited; in the former case the interest will be calculated up to date

The Bank of Mauá and Co. is sufficiently known to the Public by the benefit derived from the course of its operations, which are regulated on the strictest and soundest principles, and always directed to promote the general welfare

The Bank of Mauá and Co. are also persuaded that this new branch of their business will render immense service to the working classes of Buenos Ayres and its neighbourhood.

Buenos Ayres, September 19, 1863.

P.p. Mauá and Co.

WILLIAM LESLIE

CONDITIONS.

First—The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty-five Dollars currency Silver Dollar upwards.

Second—The interest allowed is six per cent. (6 p%) per annum, which is liquidated every six months.

Third—The depositors can at any time retire the whole or part of the money deposited.

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Table Sets, Toilet Sets, Tea Sets, Coffee Sets.

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(Corner of Potosi)

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127—CALLE 25 DE MAYO—127.

Through Tickets given to all parts of the Upper Provinces, and also to Chile and Bolivia. Parcels of all kinds, including remittance of money or valuable articles, despatched in like manner with the greatest safety.

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Leaves Cordoba for Rio Cuarto every Wednesday, in conjunction with the Rosario Coach for San Luis, Mendoza, San Juan, and the Pacific.

The Office is open on all week days from 9 to 7, and on the evening preceding the sailing of the Pavon until 10 p.m. for receiving parcels, &c. Any parcel delivered on the day of sailing of the Pavon will be detained till the following week. On Sundays and Holidays the Office will be open until Noon.

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Cargo will be received on board of the steamers 48 hours after their arrival, to be delivered in any part of the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, being forwarded by railway and steamer for account of the Company, the bills of lading being signed with these conditions.

As the object of the Company is to extend and facilitate the existing traffic between Europe and the River Plate, the rates of freight will be very moderate.

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The Steamer "UNA," to have left Liverpool on the 8th July, and expected in the course of a few days, will be the next opportunity. She has a fine large cabin on deck, capable of accommodating thirty cabin passengers, to whom Captain Batty guarantees his usual liberal treatment.

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In property seventeen leagues in Cordoba, embracing the railway on both sides. This land is at present stocked with cattle and mules and has over 100,000 bricks on the spot ready for building wells, houses, corrals, &c

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Board, with room, gas-lights, and attendance, from 5s. to 10s. per. day.

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Breakfast will be served at 10 o'clock, dinner at 5 p.m. The bill of fare will be changed everyday, and the wines first class. The proprietor hopes by a good and choice selection of viands and an attentive service to leave nothing to be desired, in satisfying his numerous supporters. J 29 1m

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The undersigned, Sole Agents in this city for the sale of the celebrated Brandy marked "JULES ROBIN & Co." hereby caution the public that a spurious article in imitation of the genuine is now being offered on sale, the bottles of which are forged with the name of the aforesaid manufacturers, but are easily detected from the deficiency of their name being branded in the corks and ours as sole agents on each bottle.

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